Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims

Claim 1 (Original)

A synthesizer circuit for generating complementary sin and cos oscillator signals from an input oscillator signal x(t), said complementary sin and cos oscillator signals being shifting in frequency from said input oscillator signal x(t), said synthesizer circuit comprising:

a divider having an input and generating divided sin and cos outputs based on a signal received at said input;

a first mixer for receiving said input oscillator signal x(t), and mixing said input oscillator signal x(t) with said sin output of said divider to generate an output signal;

a second mixer for receiving said input oscillator signal x(t), and mixing said input oscillator signal x(t) with said cos output of said divider to generate an output signal;

a first removal means for receiving said output signal of said first mixer and removing undesired frequency signals from said output signal, providing said frequency-shifted cos oscillator signal as an output; the sin output of said first removal means also being connected to the input of said divider; and

a second removal means for receiving said output signal of said second mixer and removing undesired frequency signals from said output signal, thus providing said frequency-shifted sin oscillator signal as an output.

Claim 2 (Original)

The synthesizer circuit of claim 1, wherein said first and second removal means comprise first and second filters.

Claim 3 (Original)

The circuit of claim 2 wherein said first and second filters comprise first and second high pass filters.

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Claim 4 (Original)

The circuit of claim 2 wherein said first and second filters comprise first and second notch filters.

Claim 5 (Original)

The circuit of claim 1 wherein said divider comprises a divide-by-n divider.

Claim 6 (Original)

The circuit of claim 5 wherein said divider comprises a divide-by-four divider.

Claim 7 (Original)

The synthesizer circuit of claim 1, wherein said first and second removal means comprise first and second harmonic subtraction circuits.

Claim 8 (Original)

The synthesizer circuit of claim 7, further comprising a polyphase filter for filtering said input signal x(t) prior to feeding said input signal x(t) into said first and second mixers.

Claim 9 (Original)

The synthesizer circuit of claim 7, wherein each of said mixers comprises a harmonic rejection mixer.

Claim 10 (Cancelled)

Claim 11 (Cancelled)

Claim 12 (Cancelled)

Claim 13 (Cancelled)

Claim 14 (Cancelled)

Claim 15 (Cancelled)

Claim 16 (New)

A synthesizer circuit for generating complementary sin and cos oscillator signals from an input oscillator signal x(t), said complementary sin and cos oscillator signals being shifting in frequency from said input oscillator signal x(t), said synthesizer circuit comprising:

a divider having an input and generating divided sin and cos outputs based on a signal received at said input;

a first harmonic rejection mixer for receiving said input oscillator signal x(t), and mixing said input oscillator signal x(t) with said sin output of said divider to generate an output signal;

a second harmonic rejection mixer mixer for receiving said input oscillator signal x(t), and mixing said input oscillator signal x(t) with said cos output of said divider to generate an output signal;

a first harmonic subtraction circuit for receiving said output signal of said first mixer and removing undesired frequency signals from said output signal, providing said frequency-shifted cos oscillator signal as an output; the sin output of said first removal means also being connected to the input of said divider; and

a second harmonic subtraction circuit for receiving said output signal of said second mixer and removing undesired frequency signals from said output signal, thus providing said frequency-shifted sin oscillator signal as an output.